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1. High-ranking representatives of the Soviet, Chinese Communist, and North Korean governments at a conference in Peking during March 1951 agreed on the following:

- a. The Soviets will supply 200 planes and facilities for training Chinese and North Korean pilots. The Chinese Communists will be permitted to establish air bases and training centers in Siberia and North Korea. When these facilities are completed, the Soviets will supply an undetermined additional number of planes of various types to the Chinese.
- b. The Soviets will send to Manchuria all the weapons they can spare for the use of the Chinese Communist and North Korean Armies, including all Japanese arms remaining in Soviet hands.
- c. The Soviets will be permitted in return to station troops in Chinese territory in areas where Chinese Communist troops are also stationed. At the same time the Soviets are to furnish officer advisers for each Chinese Communist Army corps area.
- d. The Soviets will permit the Chinese Communist and North Korean Armies to retreat into Soviet territory if there is a sudden adverse change in Manchuria or North Korea. If hostile forces make landings in Manchuria or North Korea before the declaration of a third world war, the Soviets will assist the Communist armies.
- e. The Chinese Communist and North Korean governments will expand intelligence activities against the Chinese Nationalists and the United States and will pass all information gathered to the Soviets.

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- f. If a third world war breaks out, the North Korean Army will be consolidated with the Chinese Communist Army; a Soviet officer will be the commander of the combined armies, and one Chinese Communist general and one North Korean general will be vice-commanders.
- g. The Soviet Army is to recruit 25 divisions from the Chinese civilian population by October 1951. These recruits will be equipped by the Soviets but trained at Chinese Communist training centers.<sup>1</sup>

- 2. Prior to July 1951 the North Korean government granted the USSR the right to move troops through North Korea or to station them in North Korea. Soviet, Chinese Communist, and North Korean commanders will decide jointly what transportation facilities are to be used and where the troops will be stationed.
- 3. In early July the Soviets ordered defensive positions to be built in undetermined areas of North Korea and told the Chinese Communists to send 500,000 laborers to North Korea between August and December to transport ammunition and provisions for the use of front-line troops.
- 4. If the Soviet military movement is restricted in Europe and Asia, the Soviets plan to furnish aid to Communist China and to carry on the war through the Chinese Communists for two years without declaring war. In the event a third world war breaks out, the North Korean army will be consolidated with the Chinese Communist Army and the Chinese Communists will be in command of the southeast Asia front while the Soviet Army will be responsible for the defense of the northeast coast of China.
- 5. The Soviet stock of atomic bombs and bacteriological warfare weapons is superior to that of the United States.<sup>2</sup>

- 1. [REDACTED] Comment. [REDACTED] from another source reported a military conference at Peking on 6 March attended by Soviet advisers. At this conference, the Soviets promised to supply 14,000 aircraft for the International Volunteer Army, and promised to equip three Chinese Communist Armies with Soviet arms. See also the referenced reports concerning Sino-Soviet decisions on the Korean war.

[REDACTED] Comment. This is probably Communist propaganda which is [REDACTED]

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